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In re Patent Application of:

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For: USE OF AN INTERLEUKIN 1 RECEPTOR

ANTAGONIST AND/OR

PYRROLIDINEDITHIOCARBAMATE FOR THE TREATMENT OR PROPHYLAXIS OF

TYPE 2 DIABETES

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## REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 4, 2009, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.